



# Working together for a better world.

**Activities Report July 2024** 

#### **A Message From President**



At Utkarsha Learning Center, we continue to build strong educational foundations, ensuring our students are equipped with the knowledge and skills needed to thrive in an increasingly digital world. Celebrating Doctor's Day with engaging activities on dental health and conducting our first Formative Assessment test are just a few examples of our commitment to holistic education. We strive to nurture curiosity and foster a love for learning among our children.

The Aadhar Vidya Program remains a cornerstone of our efforts to support education for underprivileged children. We resumed our school kits distribution at various government schools. Mental health support through MHRP counseling, engaging games, time management sessions, and cultural excursions like the visit to Siddeshwar Temple all contribute to the holistic development of our children.

The MyBlood Charitable Blood Bank stands as a testament to the power of community generosity. The lifesaving blood supply it provides is crucial for HIV-positive children and patients in critical need. We are deeply grateful to all the donors who make this possible.

As we look ahead, we remain committed to our mission of uplifting underprivileged and HIVpositive children through quality education, healthcare, and holistic support. Your continued support and belief in our cause are what drive us forward.

Thank you for being a part of this incredible journey.

With heartfelt gratitude,

Mahesh Jadhav

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President, Mahesh Foundation



# Education



#### **Utkarsha Learning Center Celebrates Doctor's Day**

On Doctor's Day, the children at Utkarsha Learning Center participated in an engaging activity focused on dental health. Through interactive sessions and hands-on demonstrations, they learned the importance of maintaining good oral hygiene, the correct way to brush and floss their teeth, and the benefits of regular dental check-ups.



#### **Building Strong Foundations in Computer Education for Future Success**

At Utkarsha Learning Center, we are dedicated to providing comprehensive computer education from the very beginning. Our curriculum is designed to introduce students to the fundamentals of computer science and technology, ensuring a strong foundation for future learning. Our goal is to equip students with the skills and knowledge needed to thrive in a digital world.



#### **Utkarsha Learning Center Conducts First Formative Assessment Test**

We, at Utkarsha Learning Center, conducted the 1st Formative Assessment test for our students. This evaluation aimed to gauge the children's understanding and retention of the concepts taught in their initial classes. The test provided valuable insights into each student's progress, strengths, and areas needing improvement.



### Mahesh Foundation Resumes School Kits Distribution from Govt School, Rukmini Nagar

With the start of the new academic year, we are delighted to resume our school kits distribution under the Aadhar Vidya program for underprivileged children in government schools. We distributed school kits to the students at Government Kannada Medium Lower Primary School in Rukmini Nagar, Belagavi. This initiative aims to provide essential educational resources, ensuring that every child has the tools they need to succeed in their studies.

### Mahesh Foundation and Touch Foundation Distribute School Kits to Underprivileged Children

The Mahesh Foundation, in collaboration with Touch Foundation, distributed school kits to underprivileged children at the Government Higher Primary School in Alataga, Belagavi. This initiative aims to support the educational needs of these students by providing essential stuff, thereby enhancing their learning experience and encouraging regular school attendance.





### Distributed School Kits to Underprivileged Children at Govt Kannada School in Samarth Nagar

Under the Aadhar Vidya Program, we are expanding our support to more underprivileged children in government schools. As part of this initiative, we distributed school kits to 25 children at the Government Kannada School in Samarth Nagar, Belagavi. Since the beginning of our journey, thousands of children have benefited from this program. In this academic year alone, we have supported the education of over 200 children.

### Distributed School Kits to 25 Students at Govt Kannada Lower Primary School in Basavanakolla

Continuing our commitment to support education for underprivileged children, we distributed school kits to 25 students at Government Kannada Lower Primary School in Basavanakolla, Belagavi. This initiative is part of our ongoing effort to ensure that every child has access to the essential resources needed for their academic journey.





## Health





### Children Explore Scientific Principles with Hands-On Experiments, Demonstrating Air Pressure and Combustion

The children at Mahesh Foundation were engaged in hands-on science experiments, fostering their curiosity and understanding of scientific principles. They conducted an experiment involving candles, matchsticks, and glass jars, demonstrating practical applications of concepts such as air pressure and combustion.

#### **Formation of Children's Committee**

We at Mahesh Foundation formed the Children's Committee, aimed at empowering and engaging the young beneficiaries of our programs. These committees, comprising enthusiastic and motivated children, will play a crucial role in representing their peers, voicing their needs and suggestions, and participating in decision-making processes related to their education and well-being.





#### MHRP Counseling: Supporting Mental Health and Well-Being

MHRP (Mental Health and Research Person) conducted counseling that provides essential support for individuals dealing with mental health challenges. Through a range of counseling services, MHRP aims to address emotional, psychological, and behavioral issues, offering personalized guidance and interventions.

#### **Engaging "See Some Things and Guess the Song" Game for the Children**

At Mahesh Foundation, we conducted an exciting and interactive game called "See Some Things and Guess the Song." In this engaging activity, children were shown various images and objects related to popular songs. Their task was to guess the song based on the visual clues provided. This fun game not only entertained the participants but also stimulated their cognitive skills, encouraged teamwork, and enhanced their knowledge of music.





#### **Time Management Session for Children at Mahesh Foundation**

Mahesh Foundation organized a Time Management session for the children, aimed at equipping them with essential skills for effective planning and organization. During the session, children learned practical techniques for managing their time, setting goals, and prioritizing tasks. The interactive workshop included activities and exercises designed to help them understand the importance of time management.

#### **Organized Exciting Treasure Hunt**

Mahesh Foundation hosted an exhilarating Treasure Hunt event for the children, blending fun with problem-solving skills. In this adventurous activity, participants followed clues and solved puzzles to find hidden treasures scattered around the venue. The treasure hunt encouraged teamwork, critical thinking, and creativity, as children worked together to decode hints and uncover hidden items.





#### **Children's Visit to Siddeshwar Temple**

The children from Mahesh Foundation visited the Siddeshwar Temple, where they had the opportunity to explore and learn about the cultural and spiritual significance of the site. This excursion provided an enriching experience, allowing the children to connect with their cultural heritage and gain a deeper understanding of local traditions.

#### **Engaging Quiz organized for the children**

Mahesh Foundation organized an interactive quiz for the children, designed to test their knowledge and encourage learning in a fun and competitive environment. The quiz featured a range of questions covering various subjects, including general knowledge, science, and current events. Participants showcased their skills and teamwork.



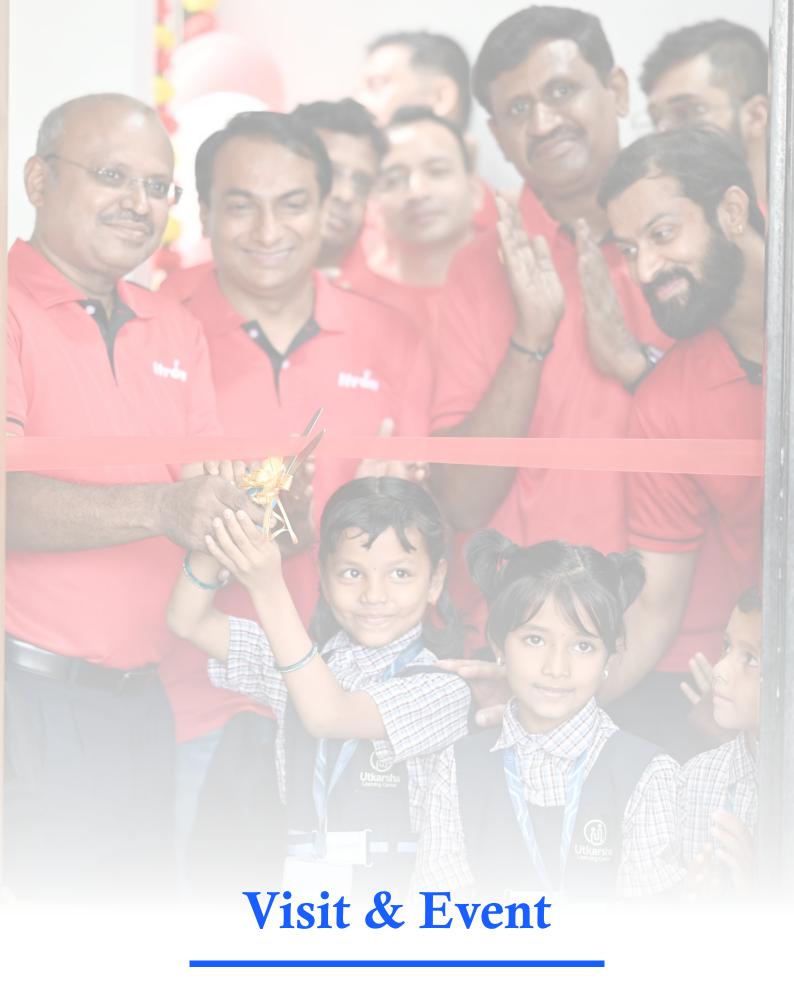


# MyBlood Charitable Blood Center



### Community Generosity Fuels Lifesaving Blood Supply at MyBlood Charitable Blood Bank

When generous people come together to donate blood, it ensures a robust and reliable supply for HIV-positive children and patients in critical need. Regular contributions from many donors are essential for maintaining a consistent blood supply. Efforts of many individuals donating blood at MyBlood Charitable Blood Bank have been making a profound and far-reaching impact.







#### Intern Rutuja Nandigoudar's Health and Hygiene Session at Mahesh Foundation

During her internship at Symbiosis Institute, Rutuja Nandigoudar made a significant impact by conducting a session on Health and Hygiene for the children at Mahesh Foundation. Through engaging activities and clear explanations, Rutuja effectively communicated essential practices such as regular hand washing, dental care, and proper nutrition.

#### Students Gain Insights on Entrepreneurship Development Camp

Visvesvaraya Research & Innovation Foundation in Belagavi organized an Entrepreneurship Development Camp, which attracted students from various parts of Karnataka. During their visit to Mahesh Foundation, the students had the privilege of attending a session conducted by the founder, Mahesh Jadhav. His insights and experiences proved invaluable as he shared practical knowledge on entrepreneurship, emphasizing innovation and community impact.

### Maratha Mandal's Institute of Dental Sciences and Research Students and Professors Visited Mahesh Foundation

Students and professors of Maratha Mandal's Institute of Dental Sciences and Research Centre visited Mahesh Foundation. During the visit, they engaged with the foundation's initiatives, gaining insights into the impactful work being done to support underprivileged children. The interaction, fostering a spirit and inspiring them to contribute towards social welfare.



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